

REMARKS

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Applicant has canceled claims 17-62, 64-80, 83 and 85-102 without prejudice or disclaimer. As a result, claims 1-16, 63, 81, 82 and 84 are pending for examination with claims 1, 63 and 84 being independent claims.

Claims 1-5 and 7 were amended to encompass embodiments of the invention relating to the ABCA1 ATP-binding cassette protein. Claims 1 and 84 were amended to encompass embodiments of the invention relating to reducing the level of cholesterol efflux from a brain cell. No new matter has been added.

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